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City of Edmonton - Valley Line West LRT Project

Sourcing Event 2132081646 to design, build and partially finance the City of Edmonton's Valley Line West Light Rail Transit (LRT) project closed February 24, 2020. The City of Edmonton's Evaluation Committee has completed the evaluation of the Responses received and has shortlisted the following teams:

1. **Aecon | Dragados Valley Line West Joint Venture (VLWJV)**, with the following members:
 - ACS Infrastructure Canada Inc.
 - Aecon Concessions
 - Aecon Infrastructure Management Inc.
 - Architecture49 Inc.
 - Dragados Canada, Inc.
 - Kasian Architecture Interior Design and Planning Ltd.
 - Kohn Crippen Berger
 - Ledcor CMI Ltd.
 - Platinum Engineering Ltd.
 - SENER, SES Canada
 - WSP Canada Inc.

2. **Marigold Infrastructure Partners**, with the following members:
 - Colas Infrastructure Canada GP
 - Parsons Inc.
 - Francl Architecture Inc.
 - Fast + EPP
 - Stantec Inc.

3. **urbanTransit**, with the following members:
 - Astaldi Canada Enterprises Inc.
 - Salini-Impregilo S.p.A.
 - FCC Construcción S.A.
 - IBI Group Inc.

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Following the Sourcing Event, the City will engage in a collaborative Request For Proposals process. This will culminate in the selection of the Preferred Proponent in mid-October, with work set to begin on the project in the 2021 construction season.

Separately, the City is also advancing its procurement strategy for the purchase of light rail vehicles, as well as preparing for operations of the full Valley Line.

The City is contemplating an order of up to forty low-floor light rail vehicles, nominally of 40-metre length — a contract valued in the range of \$300 million. The City is investigating the merits of an agreement with the current supplier of the Valley Line Southeast vehicles. Subject to its deliberations in that regard, the City would contemplate coming to market with a light rail vehicle order requirement in the fall of 2020.

For operations and maintenance of the full Valley Line, the City anticipates first assessing the operations of Valley Line Southeast before making any decisions with respect to the potential operations of the full system. All options are being considered, including the potential for expanding the Valley Line Southeast agreement with TransEd Partners General Partnership. No decision in this regard is anticipated until the end of 2022 and the City will update the market again with respect to this item closer to that time.

In the meantime, the City intends to hire an independent operations and maintenance advisor to complement its advisory team. The Sourcing Event for these services will be issued in spring 2020. Interested Parties should register and monitor SAP Ariba (see below).

Industry inquiries may be directed to:

Kim Bachand, Senior Buyer: vlwprocurement@edmonton.ca

LRT inquiries from the public may be directed to:

lrtprojects@edmonton.ca or call: (780) 496-4874 (voicemail)

For more information:

www.edmonton.ca/valleylinewest

SAP Ariba Access:

City of Edmonton Sourcing Events will be available in SAP Ariba, registration is required to access. Information regarding how to register and access SAP Ariba can be found on the [City of Edmonton website](#). If you have a technical or a how-to issue with SAP Ariba call 866-218-2155 for help.